

April 6, 2009

**VIA HAND DELIVERY**

Hon. Jeffrey Stockholm  
Hon. Michelle Phillips  
New York State Public Service Commission  
Empire State Plaza  
Agency Building Three – 18<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Albany, New York 12207

Re: Case No.: 06-T-0650 - Application of New York Regional Interconnect Inc. for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need Pursuant to Article VII for a High Voltage Direct Current Electric Transmission Line Running Between National Grid's Edic Substation in the Town of Marcy, and Central Hudson Gas & Electric's Rock Tavern Substation Located in the Town of New Windsor

Dear Judge Stockholm and Judge Phillips:

Pursuant to your request during the hearing on April 3, 2009 in the above referenced case, New York Regional Interconnect Inc. ("NYRI") hereby provides written notification that it is suspending its application filed under Article VII of the Public Service Law.

At this time, NYRI has not made any decisions with respect to future actions or activities by the company. In addition, regarding the issue raised by Staff Counsel concerning the NYISO interconnection queue, it is NYRI's expectation that all matters associated with the interconnection queue will be determined in accordance with the NYISO tariffs and procedures.

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Please call me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

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cc: Hon. Jaclyn Brilling (via Hand Delivery)  
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